



Quarantine and Isolation Medical Shelter Standard Operation Procedure

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Standard Operating Procedure Biohazard Waste Disposal

Subject: Biohazard Waste Disposal Services For Medical Sheltering Sites

1. Introduction

The purpose of this Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) is to provide guidance to Medical Shelter Site Management on requesting biohazardous waste disposal services at medical shelter sites. Currently active medical shelter sites have existing vendor contracts for this service coordinated via Brilliant Corners (a third-party vendor).

Biohazard waste is generally known as any waste contaminated with potentially infectious agents or materials that may pose a threat to the public's health or the environment. The contracted vendor is Eco Medical Waste Disposal.

2. Contacts

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3. Procedures

- **Service Setup**
 - During initial site preparation, Site Setup or Site Logistics Team will confer with lead medical team for each site to determine adequate number of biohazardous bins and service schedule (i.e., frequency of waste pickup).
 - Site Setup or Site Logistics Team will then request biohazardous waste disposal service for site from Brilliant Corners (see contact information above) including preferred start date.
- **Ongoing Service**
 - Site Management may contact Brilliant Corners lead to modify number of biohazardous waste containers at a site or increase/decrease frequency of service.
 - Site Management may also contact Eco Medical Waste Disposal to coordinate an un-scheduled collection (outside of regular service date) or to request additional biohazardous bags to be dropped off at the next regularly scheduled service date.

4. References

<https://www.ecomedicalwaste.com/>